

REPORT RELATIVE TO THE CONTINUATION OF THE EMERGENCY REGARDING WEAPONS OF MASS DESTRUCTION—PM 119

The PRESIDING OFFICER laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, together with an accompanying report; which was referred to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs:

To the Congress of the United States:

Section 202(d) of the National Emergencies Act (50 U.S.C. 1622(d)) provides for the automatic termination of a national emergency unless, prior to the anniversary date of its declaration, the President publishes in the Federal Register and transmits to the Congress a notice stating that the emergency is to continue in effect beyond the anniversary date. In accordance with this provision, I have sent the enclosed notice, stating that the emergency posed by the proliferation of weapons of mass destruction and their delivery systems declared by Executive Order 12938 on November 14, 1994, as amended, is to continue in effect beyond November 14, 2002, to the Federal Register for publication. The most recent notice continuing this emergency was published in the Federal Register on November 13, 2001 (66 FR 56965).

The proliferation of weapons of mass destruction and the means of delivering them continues to pose an unusual and extraordinary threat to the national security, foreign policy, and economy of the United States. Therefore, I have determined the national emergency previously declared must continue in effect beyond November 14, 2002.

GEORGE W. BUSH.

THE WHITE HOUSE, November 6, 2002.

PERIODIC REPORT RELATIVE TO THE NATIONAL EMERGENCY WITH RESPECT TO IRAN WHICH WAS DECLARED IN EXECUTIVE ORDER NO. 12170—PM 120

The PRESIDING OFFICER laid before the Senate the following message from the President of the United States, together with an accompanying report; which was referred to the Committee on Banking, Housing, and Urban Affairs:

To the Congress of the United States:

As required by section 401(c) of the National Emergencies Act, 50 U.S.C. 1641(c), and section 204(c) of the International Emergency Economic Powers Act, 50 U.S.C. 1703(c), I transmit herewith a 6-month periodic report prepared by my Administration on the national emergency with respect to Iran that was declared in Executive Order 12170 of November 14, 1979.

GEORGE W. BUSH.

THE WHITE HOUSE, November 12, 2002.

MESSAGE FROM THE HOUSE

At 1:04 p.m., a message from the House of Representatives, delivered by

Ms. Niland, one of its reading clerks, announced that the House has passed the following bill, in which it requests the concurrence of the Senate:

H.R. 5603. An Act to amend the Internal Revenue Code of 1986 to suspend the tax-exempt status of designated terrorist organizations, and for other purposes.

ENROLLED BILLS PRESENTED

The Secretary of the Senate reported that on November 4, 2002, she had presented to the President of the United States the following enrolled bills:

S. 1210. An act to reauthorize the Native American Housing Assistance and Self-Determination Act of 1996.

S. 2690. An act to reaffirm the references to one Nation under God in the Pledge of Allegiance.

EXECUTIVE AND OTHER COMMUNICATIONS

The following communications were laid before the Senate, together with accompanying papers, reports, and documents, which were referred as indicated:

EC-9395. A communication from the Assistant Legal Advisor for Treaty Affairs, Department of State, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of the texts and background statements of international agreements, other than treaties; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC-9396. A communication from the Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting, pursuant to law, certification for the fiscal year 2003 that no United Nations Agency or affiliate promotes or condones the legalization of pedophilia; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC-9397. A communication from the Assistant Secretary for Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting, pursuant to the Arms Export Control Act, the report of a certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles to Pakistan; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC-9398. A communication from the Assistant Secretary of Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting, pursuant to the Arms Export Control Act, the report of a certification of a proposed license for the export of defense articles or defense services sold commercially under a contract in the amount of 50,000,000 or more to France; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC-9399. A communication from the Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Visas: Removal of Visa and Passport Waiver for Certain Permanent Residents of Canada and Bermuda" (22 CFR Part 41); to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC-9400. A communication from the Assistant Secretary, Legislative Affairs, Department of State, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Visas: Documentation of Nonimmigrants under the Immigration and Nationality Act, As Amended: Transitional Foreign Student Monitoring Program" (22 CFR part 41) received on October 9, 2002; to the Committee on Foreign Relations.

EC-9401. A communication from the Assistant Administrator for Procurement, National Aeronautic and Space Administration, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule to change NASA Federal Acquisition

Regulation Supplement" (48 CRF Part 1804) received on October 28, 2002; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-9402. A communication from the Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Atlantic Highly Migratory Species Fisheries; Atlantic Bluefin Tuna; Increase of Atlantic bluefin tuna General category daily retention limit" (I.D. 083002D) received on October 28, 2002; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-9403. A communication from the Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Atlantic Highly Migratory Species Fisheries; Atlantic Bluefin Tuna; Atlantic bluefin tuna retention limit adjustments" (I.D. 091302A) received on October 28, 2002; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-9404. A communication from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Closure of the Pacific cod fishery by vessels catching Pacific cod for processing by the inshore component of the Central Regulatory Area of the Gulf of Alaska" received on October 15, 2002; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-9405. A communication from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Closure of the Pacific cod fishery in the offshore component of the Western Regulatory Area of the Gulf of Alaska" received on October 28, 2002; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-9406. A communication from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska—Closes Directed Fishing for Pollock in Statistical Area 630, Gulf of Alaska" received on October 28, 2002; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-9407. A communication from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "NMFS is reallocating the projected unused amount of Pacific cod from vessels using trawl and jig gear to vessels using hook-and-line or pot gear in the BSAI. These actions are necessary to allow the 2002 total allowable catch (TAC) of Pacific cod to be harvested." Received on October 28, 2002; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-9408. A communication from the Acting Director, Office of Sustainable Fisheries, National Marine Fisheries Service, Department of Commerce, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a rule entitled "Fisheries of the Exclusive Economic Zone Off Alaska—Closes D Season Allowance of Pollock for Statistical Area 610, Gulf of Alaska" received on October 28, 2002; to the Committee on Commerce, Science, and Transportation.

EC-9409. A communication from the Chief of Regulations and Administrative Law, United States Coast Guard, Department of Transportation, transmitting, pursuant to law, the report of a interim rule to change the Alternate Hull Examination Program for Certain Passenger Vessels, and Underwater Surveys for Passenger, Nautical School, and Sailing School Vessels ((RIN2115-AF95) (2002-